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Masahiko KAMIJOH : EXAMINER: MORRISON, THOMAS A.
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STATEMENT OF INTERVIEW SUBSTANCE

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Applicant acknowledges with appreciation the courtesy of Examiner Morrison in conducting a personal interview with Applicant's representative on August 27, 2008. During the personal interview, Applicant's representative discussed the Amendment filed on August 25, 2008. Examiner Morrison indicated the amendments to the claims appeared to overcome the rejection under 35 U.S.C. 112, first paragraph.

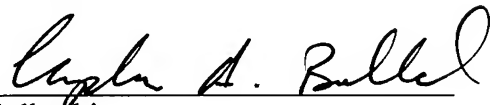
Based on his review of the Amendment filed on August 25, 2008, Examiner Morrison further suggested different amendments to avoid any possible future rejection in view of Togashi (U.S. Patent Application Publication No. 2002/0036377). Examiner Morrison indicated the language in the different proposed amendments appeared to define over

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Togashi. Examiner Morrison further indicated he was willing to enter the proposed claim amendments by Examiner's Amendment.

Respectfully submitted,

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